

ADAM BERCOVICI



POLICE PRACTICES / USE OF FORCE / SECURITY & INVESTIGATIONS

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TITAN NATIONAL CONSULTING, LLC | FOUNDER & PRINCIPAL | 2012-PRESENT

National police consulting, expert-witness and investigative practice focused on police use of force, law-enforcement best practices, civil-rights matters, tactical operations, complex investigations and security practices.

EXECUTIVE PROFILE

Nationally recognized police use-of-force, police best-practices and security-policy expert with more than four decades of law-enforcement, security and investigative experience. Former LAPD Lieutenant II and commanding officer of elite homicide, tactical-surveillance and federal task-force assignments. Experienced expert witness in state and federal matters, with deep expertise in high-risk operations, policy, risk management and complex investigations.

CORE EXPERTISE

Police Use of Force | Deadly Force & Shooting Policy | Police Best Practices | 42 U.S.C. §1983 Civil Rights | Wrongful Convictions | Crowd Management | K9 Operations | Undercover & Tactical Operations | Complex Investigations | Security Practices & Risk Management

SELECTED LEADERSHIP & EXPERT CREDENTIALS

- Led premier investigative and tactical assignments including LAPD Robbery-Homicide Division, Special Investigation Section, the FBI Violent Crime Task Force and Joint Terrorism Task Force.
- Testified as an expert on police use of force and police best practices in state and federal court; expert-witness and advisory work spans use of deadly force, patrol policy, crowd management, K9 operations, undercover tactics, tactical operations, civil-rights matters, wrongful convictions and security practices.
- Established the selection process for LAPD's Special Investigation Section and led the working group that authored the LAPD Undercover Directive.
- Coordinated police response to major crowd-control events and supervised deployment of less-lethal munitions at major protest events.
- Supervised complex investigations involving homicide, kidnap for ransom, murder for hire, extortion and murders of police officers.
- Former CEO of Critical Solutions Protective Services Group; provided security operations, training and risk-management leadership for major Southern California retail properties and served as an expert in matters involving major security companies and properties.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

TITAN NATIONAL CONSULTING, LLC

2012-PRESENT

Owner | Consultant | Senior Investigator | *Police Consulting, Expert Witness & Investigations*

Provides expert testimony, consulting and investigative services in police practices, use of force, tactical and patrol policy, civil-rights matters, wrongful convictions, complex investigations and security practices.

CRITICAL SOLUTIONS PROTECTIVE SERVICES GROUP

2010-2017

Chief Executive Officer | *Los Angeles-Based Security Company*

Managed daily operations, training, security operations and risk mitigation for major retail properties in Southern California. Served as an expert in matters involving Securitas, Westfield Properties, Amazon and other organizations.

LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT

1982-2012

Lieutenant II | Senior Investigative & Tactical Leader

Advanced through positions of increasing responsibility; recipient of 50 Bureau/Major Commendations and 300+ Area Commendations, the LAPD Medal for Bravery (1993) and Meritorious Unit Citation (1994).

LAPD LEADERSHIP & ASSIGNMENT HISTORY

Robbery-Homicide Division, Homicide Special Section

2011-2012

Lieutenant II | Officer-in-Charge

Robbery-Homicide Division, Special Investigation Section

2003-2011

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Lieutenant II Officer-in-Charge	
Major Crimes Division / FBI Violent Crime Task Force / Joint Terrorism Task Force - Surveillance Special Section	2002-2003
Lieutenant II Officer-in-Charge	
Burglary-Auto Theft Division, Field Enforcement Section / Federal Theft Task Force	2000-2001
Lieutenant II	
North Hollywood Area	1999-2000
Lieutenant I Watch Commander Mobile Field Force Leader	
Internal Affairs Division, Advocate Section	1998-1999
Sergeant II	
Van Nuys Area	1996-1998
Sergeant II Watch Commander Assistant Watch Commander	
West Los Angeles Area	1995-1996
Sergeant II Vice Supervisor	
Operations West Bureau CRASH	1994-1995
Sergeant I	
77th Street Area	1993-1994
Sergeant I	
Metropolitan Division	1989-1993
Police Officer III K9 Handler	
Metropolitan Division	1987-1989
Police Officer III	
Wilshire Area	1985-1987
Police Officer III Field Training Officer	
Operations West Bureau CRASH	1985
Police Officer II Gang Suppression Officer	
Wilshire Area	1984-1985
Police Officer II	
Foothill Area	1982-1984
Police Officer I	

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Bachelor of Arts, English Literature | Claremont McKenna College

California POST: Basic | Intermediate | Advanced | Supervisor | Management

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) • National Tactical Officers Association (NTOA) • International Association of Professional Security Consultants • ASIS • Security Industry Association (SIA) • Police Officers Research Association of California (PORAC) • California Association of Licensed Investigators • Council of International Investigators

EXPERT CASES

Deposition, report and trial testimony — representative case details available upon request.